GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

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IMPLEMENTATION OF TECHNOLOGY MISSION ON COTTON
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are implementing Mini Mission (MM-III & IV) under Technology Mission on Cotton;

(b) if so, the number of new / improved market yards sanctioned under the Scheme so far, State-wise; and

(c) the fresh steps taken / proposed for time bound implementation of MM-III & IV under the Technology Mission on Cotton?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES (SHRI V. DHANANJAYA KUMAR)

(a) The Ministry of Textiles is implementing Mini Mission III relating to improvement in market infrastructure and Mini Mission IV relating to modernization of ginning & pressing factories.

(b) The number of market yards sanctioned under the scheme so far, State-wise, are as under:

STATE	NEW	IMPROVEMENT	ACTIVATION	TOTAL
M. P.	01	04	01	06
RAJASTHAN	00	06	00	06
GUJARAT	01	07	07	15
A. P.	02	02	04	08
HARYANA	00	04	01	05
KARNATAKA	00	04	01	05
TAMIL NADU	01	02	00	03
ORISSA	01	01	01	03
TOTAL	06	30	15	51

(c) The State Governments, respective market yard authorities and the ginning & pressing factories owners are impressed upon for timely completion of development of market yard and modernization of ginning & pressing factories. Besides, General Awareness Meetings are organized in the cotton growing states where cotton growers, ginners, market yard authorities and State Government officials are requested for timely and effective completion of the projects to achieve the desired objectives of the mission.